



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

4-19-52

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

SAC, CINCINNATI

RE:

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
JOSEF ALLEN HYNK - CH 10186
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
ATOMIC ENERGY - APPLICANT

AIR MAIL

INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/11/01 BY 60322 JAW

Dear Sir:

You are instructed to conduct an immediate, thorough, discreet investigation concerning the character, associations, and loyalty of the above-named individual in accordance with the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1946. The original and four copies of the report are to be transmitted to the Bureau by air mail unless ordinary mail is equally speedy. The deadline in this case is

Present address:
Birthdate and birthplace:
Social Security Number:
Firm to employ and position involved:

Rebulet 4/9/52.

A review of bureau files reflect WFO memorandum to the Director dated May 12, 1951, entitled, "International Astronomical Union General Assembly August 1, to 8/51, at Leningrad, Russia, Miscellaneous Information concerning, "this memorandum listed the names of individuals attending assembly and the name J.A. Hynk, Ohio State U. appeared therein. (9) (u)

Determine if this individual identical with applicant and verify.

C# 270259

SR-1 AG/EW
6/10/86

cc: WASHINGTON FIELD

Very truly yours,

J. E. Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

HKM:mmm

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9-17-99
appeal # 99-4190



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4/9/52

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JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK - CH - 10186

ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

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Present address:

119 Webster Park Ave., Columbus, Ohio

Birthdate and birthplace:

5/1/10, Chicago, Ill.

Social Security Number:

None

Firm to employ and position involved:

Participant, Ohio State Univ., Argonne
Nat'l. Lab., Chicago, Ill.

Conduct full investigation.

CLEVELAND: Reference: Dr. Jason Nassau, 2019 Taylor Rd., E. Cleveland, Ohio,
known 12 yrs.

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DATE 6/10/86 BY SPL AG/EN

Very truly yours,

J. E. Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

cc: WASHINGTON FIELD
CHICAGO
CLEVELAND

REW:bs

Subj: Byroned Lloyd Allen 4-22

Address: _____

Birthdate: _____ SUPV: _____

Birthdate: _____ SUPV: _____
Misc: _____

Misc: _____
R# 909 Date 4/2 Searcher Initial 189

SERIALS

See letter to
WFO/Chicago APR 11 1952
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Kenned Allan

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Harold Lloyd Allen (Har)

~~63-6854-683 NI~~

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DATE 6/10/86 BY SP-1 AG/En

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PERSONNEL SECURITY QUESTIONNAIRE

INSTRUCTIONS.—All sections must be completed. Write "None" when applicable. Type or print all answers. If space not adequate for complete answers, attach a supplemental sheet to this form. All addresses must show street number, street, city, and State.

1. NAME (Last, first, middle)

HYNEK, JOSEF ALLEN

CH 10/186

2. OTHER NAMES (Include maiden name, if married woman)

NONE

3. PRESENT ADDRESS

DATE

119 WEBSTER PARK AVE.
COLUMBUS, OHIO

2/20/52

4. ALL OTHER ADDRESSES FOR PAST 15 YEARS

DATE

41 Columbus Ave., Delaware, Ohio

Physics Laboratory, 8621 Georgia
Avenue, Silver Springs, Md.5. DESCRIPTION: (Check which) ☒ MALE ☐ FEMALE

RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR
WHITE	5' 8 1/2"	140	BROWN	BROWN

6. (Check which)

☐ SINGLE ☐ DIVORCED
☒ MARRIED ☐ WIDOW(ER)

7. BIRTH DATE

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	MAY	1910

8. BIRTHPLACE (City, county, State, and country)

CHICAGO, COOK, ILLINOIS, U. S. A.

9. CITIZENSHIP: U. S. ☒ ALIEN ☐

IF U. S. CITIZEN, INDICATE WHETHER:

(A) BY BIRTH ☒(C) BY NATURALIZATION ☐(B) DERIVATIVE ☐

PETITION NO.

DATE

DATE

CERTIFICATE NO.

CERTIFICATE NO.

PLACE

PLACE

IF ALIEN, INDICATE

ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.

DATE

PORT OF ENTRY

10. DRAFT BOARD NUMBER AND ADDRESS WITH WHICH REGISTERED

NONE

11. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

NONE

12. PERMANENT STATION AND ADDRESS IF NOW IN MILITARY SERVICE

12A. MILITARY SERVICE NONE

SERIAL NO.

BRANCH

FROM (Yr.)

TO (Yr.)

13. EDUCATION (All schools above elementary)

NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)	DEGREES
Crane Technical High School	Chicago, Illinois	1922	1926	--
The University of Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	1927	1935	Ph. D.

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14. EMPLOYMENT (LIST ALL EMPLOYMENT DATES INCLUDING PRESENT EMPLOYMENT, AND ALL DATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT.) GIVE NAME UNDER WHICH EMPLOYED IF DIFFERENT FROM NAME NOW USED.

DATE FROM-TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (COMPANY OR ORGANIZATION)	TYPE OF WORK	ADDRESS (Where employed)	REASON FOR LEAVING
'35-42	The Ohio State Univ.	Professor	Columbus 10, O.	
'42-46	Johns Hopkins Univ. F B I	Editor	Silver Springs, Md.	on leave during war
'46-	The Ohio State Univ. F B I	Professor	Columbus 10, O.	

15. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (Since 1930) (Exclusive of military service)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE
Blind River, Ontario	every	summer	Vacation

16. ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP (Include present membership and all past membership during the last 15 years in organizations, except labor unions and religious organizations, excepted by Question 17 below.)

NAME	ADDRESS	TYPE	FROM—	TO—	OFFICE HELD
Alpha Tau Omega		Social	1930	1931	Pres.
Phi Beta Kappa		Honorary	1931	--	--
Sigma Xi		Honorary	1935	--	--
American Astronomical Society Scientific			1933	--	--

17. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION WHICH HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL AS REQUIRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 9835? (For your convenience, there is attached to this questionnaire as Appendix A, the current list of such organizations. Appendix A is hereby made an integral part of this Personnel Security Questionnaire.)

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

18. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

19. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF A FASCIST ORGANIZATION

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

20. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH ADVOCATES THE OVERTHROW OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, OR OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH HAS ADOPTED A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF SEEKING TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

21. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTIONS 17, 18, 19, OR 20 IS "YES," STATE THE NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION, DATES OF MEMBERSHIP, AND EXTENT OF PARTICIPATION. AN EXPLANATION REGARDING MEMBERSHIP IN ANY OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS MAY BE ATTACHED HERETO ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, IF YOU DESIRE TO EXPLAIN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP.

NAME	ADDRESS	FROM—	TO—	OFFICE HELD
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22. RELATIVES (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	AGE	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
Father	Josef		Deceased	Bohemia	--
Mother	Bertha Waska		Deceased	U.S.A.	--
				U.S.A.	U.S.A.

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23. REFERENCES (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are well acquainted with you)

NAME	ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
		15
		20
		12

24. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, INDICTED, OR SUMMONED INTO COURT AS A DEFENDANT IN A CRIMINAL PROCEEDING, OR CONVICTED, FINED OR IMPRISONED OR PLACED ON PROBATION IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH A PROCEEDING, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED OR REQUIRED TO DEPOSIT BAIL OR COLLATERAL FOR THE VIOLATION OF ANY LAW, POLICE REGULATION OR ORDINANCE (EXCLUDING MINOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS)? No Answer "Yes" or "No"

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," LIST ALL SUCH CASES IN ITEM 25. IN EACH CASE GIVE: (1) THE CHARGE OR NATURE OF THE OFFENSE; (2) THE DATE; (3) THE PLACE WHERE ARRESTED; (4) DISPOSITION OR THE PENALTY IMPOSED, IF ANY.

25. ARRESTS (Include all arrests and fines other than minor traffic violations)

CHARGE	DATE	PLACE WHERE ARRESTED	DISPOSITION
		FBI STAT SECT	RECEIVED MAY 9 11 03 AM '52

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS CORRECT AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. I MAKE THIS STATEMENT TO THE U. S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT IT WILL BE USED BY THE COMMISSION IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTY TO PROTECT THE SECURITY OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROJECT, AND WITH KNOWLEDGE THAT ANY FALSE STATEMENT OR OMISSION OF MATERIAL FACT MAY BE SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF MY APPLICATION OR DISMISSAL AFTER EMPLOYMENT; FURTHER, THAT ANY FALSE STATEMENT HEREIN MAY BE PUNISHED AS A FELONY UNDER SECTION 1001, TITLE 18, U. S. CODE.

Mar. 4, 1952
(DATE)

J. Allen Byrne
(USUAL SIGNATURE OF PERSON FILLING OUT QUESTIONNAIRE)
(Sign original only)

TO BE FILLED OUT BY AGENCY OR FIRM EMPLOYING

NAME OF AGENCY OR FIRM

Argonne National Laboratory

ADDRESS

P.O. Box 5207, Chgo., Ill.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES (Description should not reveal classified information)

Participant
in Ohio State University
Columbus 10, Ohio
Class Q

WILL PERSON HAVE ACCESS TO RESTRICTED DATA?

☒ YES☐ NO

WILL PERSON HAVE ACCESS TO AN EXCLUSION AREA?

☒ YES☐ NO

(Check the one block applicable)

☒ FINGERPRINT CARD ATTACHED☐ T-1 ATTACHED (RESULTS OF F. B. I. FINGER-PRINT FILE CHECK)☐ T-2 ATTACHED

DO NOT COMPLETE SPACE BELOW

REFERRED TO F. B. I.

RECEIVED FROM F. B. I.

Bohler
(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF OFFICIAL REQUESTING CLEARANCE)

(SIGNATURE OF AEC LIAISON OFFICER) (When appropriate)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **BUREAU**

REPORT MADE AT CLEVELAND	DATE WHEN MADE 5/7/52	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 4/29,30/52	REPORT MADE BY MERRILL R. SMITH	AES
TITLE JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK - CH - 10186			CHARACTER OF CASE AEAA	

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Reference:

Bulet to Cincinnati, 4-9-52

Details:

AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

REFERENCE

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DATE 1/1/86 BY SP-1 AG/EW

[redacted] Case Institute of Technology, advised that he has been well acquainted with the applicant both socially and professionally for approximately fifteen years. [redacted] advised that he considered the applicant to be a person of good habits and reputation and added that he had been employed on highly secret projects during World War II. [redacted] advised that he considered the applicant to be a person of excellent character, whose associates have always been above reproach and a loyal citizen. [redacted] stated that he would recommend the applicant without reservation for any position of trust and confidence for which he is qualified.

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CC TO: CIA

REQ. REC'D 24-70

MAR 4 1970

AN: IS.

BY: [signature]

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Atomic Energy Commission
JUN 5 1952

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APPROVED AND FORWARDED: <u>[signature]</u>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES
COPIES OF THIS REPORT 5 - Bureau (AMSD) 1 - Cleveland (116-20024)		AGENCY <u>ICC</u> REQ. REC'D REPT FORW. <u>6/23/70</u> BY <u>RHS</u>
		10 MAY 8 1952

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/19/52

FROM : SAC, WFO

SUBJECT: JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK - CH-10186
AEHA

Bureau File #

Deadline Date: 5/19/52

This case will be delinquent because

*PRESSURE OF OTHER WORK*C#270859
ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE 6/10/86 BY SP1 AG/ew

Report will reach the Bureau by the following date:

5/26/52

WFO File # 116-84631

AEK

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

Director, FBI

FROM :

SAC, Cincinnati (116-20619)

SUBJECT:

JOSEF ALLEN HYNEM - CH - 10186
AEA - A
Buded 5-9-52

DATE: May 6, 1952

C#270859
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ReBulet to Cincinnati dated 4-9-52.

This case will be delinquent because of the unavailability of reference.

Report will reach the Bureau by 5-16-52.

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Standard Form No. 64

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5-9-52

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO

HG
SUBJECT: JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK-CH
ATOMIC ENERGY ACT
APPLICANT (x)
EMPLOYEE ()
Buded 5-9-52

C#270859
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DATE 6/10/86 BY SP-1AG/EW

This case will be delinquent because: attempting to verify
educational record at University of Chicago.

Report will reach the Bureau by: 5-23-52.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **BUREAU**

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REPORT MADE AT CINCINNATI	DATE WHEN MADE 5/14/52	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 4/19,21,24;5/5,6/52	REPORT MADE BY EUGENE C. PETERSON AJZ
TITLE JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK - CH - 10186			CHARACTER OF CASE AEAA

**ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE**

REFERENCE: OTHERWISE

Bulet to Cincinnati dated 4/9/52

DETAILS:

AT COLUMBUS, OHIO

BIRTH DATA AND EMPLOYMENT

CLASSIFIED BY: **SP-1 AG/ED**
DECLASSIFY ON: **OADR 6/10/86**

Ohio State University, produced records which reflected the applicant was born May 1, 1910. He was employed as a professor physics and astronomy from September 23, 1935 to July 1, 1942 when he was granted a leave of absence. He returned there on March 25, 1946 and on November 20, 1950 was made Assistant Dean of the Graduate School. He is presently serving in that capacity. [redacted] and [redacted] Graduate School, stated they have worked under the applicant's supervision for approximately three years and have always found him to possess good moral character, unquestionable loyalty and reliable associates. [redacted] Ohio State University, stated he has known the applicant for several years and has always found him to be of good character, unquestionable loyalty and dependable associates. [redacted] stated she has known the applicant for several years and have always found him to be a loyal American citizen of good character and reliable associates. [redacted] and [redacted] Physics Department, stated they have known the applicant for about five years and have always found him to possess good character, unquestionable loyalty and reliable associates. [redacted] Physics Department, stated he has known the applicant for twenty years and has always known him to possess good moral character and reliable associates. He added

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 appeal # 99-4190

APPROVED AND FORWARDED:

Charles E. [signature]

SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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cc to
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BY RUS: [signature]

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he has never had any occasion to doubt the applicant's loyalty and would not hesitate to recommend him for a position of trust.

NEIGHBORHOOD

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[redacted] and [redacted] stated they have known the applicant and his family during the time they have resided at 119 Webster Park Avenue, and have always observed them to be loyal American citizens of good moral character and reliable associates.

CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

The files of the Ohio Bureau of Credits reflected a prompt rating for the applicant.

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[redacted], Bureau of Records, Police Department, stated there was no arrest record for the applicant or his family.

by SA HOWARD W. AMOS:

The following investigation was conducted

AT DELAWARE, OHIO

NEIGHBORHOOD

[redacted] informed that she has now [redacted] which was formerly rented to the applicant and wife about five years ago. She stated that during the time that the applicant resided at this residence she had lived in the general vicinity and had never heard anything derogatory about the applicant or his wife. She also related that MR. JOSEF HYNEK was a Professor at Ohio Wesleyan University and connected with the Perkins Observatory in Delaware, Ohio. [redacted] had no reason to suspect the applicant's loyalty and considered both the applicant and his wife good living American citizens who maintained a good character and reputation in the community.

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[redacted] stated that she resided [redacted] when he had rented the premises 41 Columbus Avenue, about five years ago. She advised that she had no reason to suspect the applicant's loyalty nor had she ever heard anything

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derogatory about him or his wife. She considered the applicant to be a high time person whose character and reputation is above reproach. [redacted] informed that the applicant is a professor of Astronomy at Ohio Wesleyan University and Ohio State University and believed that he is now residing in Columbus, Ohio. [redacted] would recommend the applicant for any position of trust that he may now be seeking.

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REFERENCE

[redacted] Ohio Wesleyan University, [redacted] Associate Professor applicant for about twenty years, during which time he had never heard anything derogatory about him. He stated that JOSEF HYNEK was a person of high intellect whose character and reputation is above reproach and a loyal American. [redacted] further added that in addition to the applicant being connected with the Perkins Observatory as an astronomer and member of the faculty at Ohio Wesleyan University, the applicant is also the Assistant Dean of the Graduate School at Ohio State University. [redacted] advised that he would give the applicant the best of recommendation for any position demanding confidence and trust that he may now be seeking with the Federal Government.

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CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

The records of the Delaware Ohio Credit Bureau and the Delaware Ohio Police Department fail to reveal any information pertaining to the applicant.

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A review of the Ohio State University Directories from 1946 to 1952 reflected only one person by the name HYNEK, JOSEF A., Assistant Dean of Graduate School; Professor Of Physics and Astronomy.

[redacted] and [redacted] Clerks, Ohio State University Graduate School, were re-interviewed regarding the above mentioned information, and stated that to the best of their knowledge the only time the applicant left the United States was during the summer of that year when he vacationed in Canada.

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[redacted] Department of Physics, was re-interviewed regarding the above mentioned information and stated he had never known the applicant to have left the United States except for summer vacations at his summer home in Canada.

[redacted] Department of Physics, who was not previously available for interview, stated he has been a close friend of HYNEK's for many years and has never known him to have left the country except for summer vacations in Canada.

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*I 65-6854-693 ND**Joseph Allen (CNS)**UTO 116-321913 DWT 4-9-52**I 116-321913 I**I 140-1-23452 I ND**J. Allen (CNS)**I 100-381175-155 ND**ND 105-0-15013 ND (201)**105-432236-194 Source*

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Subj: Harack, Joseph Allen

Supervisor _____

Room _____

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DATE 6/10/86 BY SP-1AG/EW

JUN 5 1970

MAY 25 1970

DATE **P.P. SENSITIVE** - **EO 12812** POSITION **7**

IMPORTANT

Particular care must be used in completing the items numbered 1 through 9. READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM BEFORE ANSWERING ANY OF THESE ITEMS.

A. FULL NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE)

Hynek, Joseph Allen

B. OTHER NAMES USED

None

2. ARMED SERVICES SERIAL NO., AND DATES AND BRANCH OF SERVICE

N/A

3. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

295-34-5228

5. POSITION

Consultant

4. DATE AND PLACE (CITY, STATE) OF BIRTH

1 May 1910 - Chicago, Illinois

6. AGENCY NAME AND ADDRESS

Foreign Technology Division
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

7. DATES & PLACES OF RESIDENCE
From (Mo./Yr.) To (Mo./Yr.)

Jan 1937 - June '42

July 1942 - Sept '46

Oct 1946 - Jan '48

Feb 1948 - Jan '56

Feb 1956 - Sept '56

Oct 1956 - Sept '57

Oct 1957 - Sept '58

Sept 1958 - Aug '60

Oct 1960 - present

05-05-70

No. and Street Address

2623 RIDGE
120 Oak Hill

8710 Cameron St

41 Columbus Ave

119 Webster

21 Craigie St

251 School St

46 Orchard

19 Fairmont

2623 Ridge Ave

City and State

EVANSTON, ILL. 60201

Delaware, Ohio

Silver Springs, Maryland

Delaware, Ohio

COLUMBUS, OHIO

Cambridge, Mass.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

Cambridge, Mass.

Belmont, Mass.

EVANSTON, ILL. 60201

9. (CHECK ONE)

☒ NONSENSITIVE

☐ NONCRITICAL-SENSITIVE

10. (CHECK ONE)

☐ SINGLE

☐ MARRIED

☐ WIDOW(ER)

☐ DIVORCED

IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME, GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (GIVE SAME INFORMATION REGARDING ALL PREVIOUS MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES.)

Previous marriage and divorce--see Item 21

Marriage: May 31, 1942--see Item 21

Marriage: May 31, 1942--Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

Passport # H779601

12. IDENTIFYING NUMBERS (OTHER THAN SOCIAL SECURITY OR ARMED SERVICES SERIAL, SUCH AS PASSPORT NO., ALIEN REGISTRATION NO., SEAMAN'S CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION, ETC. GIVE ALL, SPECIFYING WHICH.)

NONE

13. ORGANIZATIONS WITH WHICH AFFILIATED (PAST AND PRESENT) OTHER THAN RELIGIOUS OR POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS OR THOSE WHICH SHOW RELIGIOUS OR POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS (IF "NONE," SO STATE).

NONE

14. DATES, NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF EMPLOYERS (BEGIN WITH PRESENT AND GO BACK TO JANUARY 1, 1937. CONTINUE UNDER ITEM 21 ON OTHER SIDE IF NECESSARY)

From (Mo./Yr.) To (Mo./Yr.) Employer No., Street, City, State ZIP Code

Sept 1960 - present Northwestern University Evanston, Illinois 60201

Jan 1956 - Sept 1960* Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory 60 Garden St. Cambridge, Mass 116-321913-6

July 1942 - Aug 1946* Johns Hopkins University Colesville Rd & Georgia Ave. Silver Springs, Md.

Jan 1937 - Jan 1956 Ohio State University Columbus, Ohio

*(on leave 1942-46

1956-1960)

BY COURIER SVC NOT RECORDED
30 JUN 22 JUN 20 1970

COMM-FBI

CERTIFICATION
FALSE STATEMENT ON THIS FORM
IS PUNISHABLE BY LAW.

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE, COMPLETE, AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, AND ARE MADE IN GOOD FAITH.

3 April 1970

15. DATE OF APPOINTMENT

05-05-70

16. PLACE OF DUTY (IF DIFFERENT FROM ADDRESS IN ITEM 6)

17. TYPE OF APPOINTMENT

☒ EXCEPTED ☐ COMPETITIVE

INCLUDES INDEFINITE AND TEMPORARY TYPES OF COMPETITIVE APPOINTMENT.

18. CIVIL SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY

19. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE (SEE ALSO ITEM 21)

Stat. Sect. Non Derog.
Data sent

20. NAME AND FULL MAILING ADDRESS OF AGENCY OFFICIAL TO WHOM RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE SENT. INCLUDE ZIP CODE.

ASD(ASPCP)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

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FOR COPIES OF THIS FORM, SEE INSTRUCTIONS. REVERSE THE CARBON PAPER BEFORE WRITING ON THIS SIDE.

Aug. 1960 - present 2623 Ridge Ave. Evanston, Ill 60201

Item 11 (prev. marr. & divorce)

Martha Alexander --- Fayetteville, Ark Dec. 23, 1932 (marr.)
--- Delaware, Ohio - Apr. 12, 1939 (divorce)

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DATE: June 23, 1970

Enclosed are two copies each of four reports concerning this individual.

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REPORT MADE AT WASHINGTON, D.C.	DATE WHEN MADE 5/28/52	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 4/16, 17, 21, 22; 5/15, 19, 21, 23; 26/52	REPORT MADE BY ALBERT E. KLEBE, JR. efm <div style="text-align: right;">AEK:</div>
TITLE JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK - CH-10186 <i>#270859</i>			CHARACTER OF CASE AEAA
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: <div style="text-align: center;">ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 6/10/86 BY SP-1 AG/EN</div>			AGENCY <u>1 cc to CSC</u> REQ. REC'D <u> </u> REP'T FORW. <u>6/23/70</u> BY <u>RNE: mm</u>
REFERENCE: Bureau letter dated April 9, 1952.			
DETAILS: <u>AT WASHINGTON, D. C.</u> <div style="text-align: right;"><i>CSC 5-10-52 AR 5-7-52 WLP/dc</i></div> <u>EMPLOYMENT</u>			
<p>Personnel records at the Applied Physics Laboratory, Johns Hopkins University, Silver Spring, Maryland, as reported by Special Agent reflect that Doctor JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK, born May 1, 1910, at Chicago, Illinois, was employed by the laboratory on June 15, 1942, as a Reports Assistant and was reclassified December 1, 1943, to Supervisor of scientific and technical reports. At the time of his coming to Johns Hopkins University, HYNEK was given a leave of absence from the Perkins Observatory of Ohio State University effective July 1, 1942, for the duration of the war. Doctor HYNEK terminated his employment with the Applied Physics Laboratory of Johns Hopkins University on March 29, 1946, to return to his former position at the Ohio State University. Effective April 1, 1946, Doctor HYNEK was appointed as a Consultant for the High Altitude Group at the above university on a per diem basis. On July 1, 1949, Doctor HYNEK's consultantship was placed on a year to year appointment, and he was again appointed Consultant on November 1, 1950. This appointment was terminated November 1, 1951, as</p>			
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it was doubtful that he would be called upon for active consultation due to the fact that the Applied Physics Laboratory was requested to hold this type of activity to a minimum. Doctor HYNEK received satisfactory efficiency ratings and regular salary increases while employed at the laboratory. His address was listed as 8710 Cameron Street, Silver Spring, Maryland, and the records further reflected that he had a [redacted] born [redacted]. The files of the Applied Physics Laboratory contained no further pertinent information. b6 b7c

[redacted] Key Personnel Section, Johns Hopkins University, Applied Physics Laboratory, advised Special Agent HOWARD G. J. FISHER that he had been associated with Doctor HYNEK during the period of Doctor HYNEK's employment at the laboratory and that he had found HYNEK a person of high character and reputation and a loyal American. [redacted] stated that he knew of nothing which would reflect unfavorably upon the applicant in any way, and that due to his limited association with applicant he could say only that so far as he knows the applicant would be a good security risk. [redacted] stated that he knew of no other persons presently employed at the laboratory with whom Mr. HYNEK had been associated and knew of no others who might remember him. b7D

REFERENCES

[redacted] Bethesda, Maryland, who is employed as an Economist by the Federal Reserve Board and who has known Doctor HYNEK and his family since the early 1930's, having originally met the applicant when both were studying at the University of Chicago, stated that he has had occasional contact with the applicant and his family over the years and that their families visit back and forth periodically. [redacted] stated that Doctor HYNEK had been employed by the Johns Hopkins University on a research project during the war and that he feels the applicant has held a government position b7D

of considerable trust while so employed. [] stated that the applicant is a ~~very~~ trustworthy, honest, and loyal person, who has always maintained good associations and who has never been connected in any subversive movement, and that in his opinion the applicant will be an excellent security risk. [] stated that the applicant's family consists of his wife and three children all under the age of seven years and that he knows of nothing questionable regarding the character, loyalty, or associations of the applicant or his family and would highly recommend Doctor HYNEK for a position of trust.

NEIGHBORHOOD

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent FISHER:

[] of apartment house located at [] Silver Spring, Maryland, who resides at [] Silver Spring, Maryland, stated that b7D the applicant had resided at 8710 Cameron Street, from 1942 to 1946 and that during this time both the applicant and his wife were away much of the time. [] stated that the applicant at that time was employed by the Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory. She further stated that she considered the applicant and his wife good tenants who kept to themselves, and she knew of nothing which would reflect upon the character, loyalty, or associates of his wife and knew of nothing which would preclude the applicant from holding a position of trust. b7D

[] resident of [] since 1946; [] of [] since 1944; [] and resident of [] since 1945; and [] and resident of [] since 1946, all of [] Silver Spring, Maryland, advised Special Agent FISHER they were not acquainted with the applicant or his

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wife during the period of their residence at that address from 1942 to 1946 since the applicant had been employed in defense industry and was away from his residence much of the time. These same persons stated they knew of no one else in the neighborhood who might recall the applicant other than [redacted] b7D

[redacted] who was [redacted] of the [redacted]

MISCELLANEOUS

Records of the Washington, D. C. Credit Bureau which were reviewed by Special Employee [redacted] reflect that the applicant and his wife enjoy a satisfactory credit rating on three accounts and contain no additional pertinent information. b6 b7C

The Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C., had no record on the applicant or his wife according to Special Employee [redacted] and the Montgomery County Credit Bureau and the Montgomery County Police Department, Rockville, Maryland, had no record on the applicant or his wife according to Special Employee HERBERT L. MONAHAN, JR.

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TITLE JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK -CH- 10186 C#270859			CHARACTER OF CASE AEAA

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE 6/10/86 BY SP-1 AG/EW

~~SYNOPSIS OF FACTS~~

REFERENCE: Bulet to Cincinnati dated 4/9/52.

DETAILS:

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[redacted] Clerk, Registrar's Office, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA [redacted] that educational records reflect that HYNEK was born on May 1, 1910 at Chicago, Illinois, and entered the University of Chicago, Senior College, on September 26, 1927 and attended the winter quarter of 1931, and received an SB Degree on March 17, 1931. HYNEK transferred to the Graduate school on March 30, 1931 and attended continuously through the summer quarter of 1935 and received a Ph.D Degree in Astronomy on December 17, 1935. [redacted] advised that she knew of no one at the University who would recall the applicant personally.

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Credit and Criminal:

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SE [redacted] caused a search to be made of the records of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Inc., and the Chicago Police Department, which reflected no information concerning JOSEF ALLEN HYNEK.

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